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A Passant's Last Thoughts of His Wife.

One night, says a Russian army doctor, in a wood, before the roar of the guns had quite ceased, we started to bring in the wounded. At a distance we saw a soldier raise himself slightly and beckon to us. He was wrapped in his big cloak, which was drenched with blood. He could hardly speak. His face, as we looked at him by the light of the smoky torch, was already that of a corpse.

"Well, what do you want, little brother?"
"If you would be so kind, write a letter for me to my wife to tell her I am dead." And he dictated as follows:—
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"We covered his head," says the doctor, "and passed on, as others were crying for us. He remained alone. Twenty minutes later we passed by again. He was dead. His hands were crossed over his breast. He had crossed them himself, waiting for death in full consciousness, without a complaint, without a word."

"That is how our peasants die."

POLISH LADIE HANGED.

Judge Goes Mad.

Zurich, Thursday July 22.
According to reports which have reached here five Polish ladies of noble birth, and moving in the most aristocratic circles of Austrian society, were arrested in Vienna a fortnight ago on charges of espionage in the interests of Russia. They were tried immediately, convicted, and sentenced to be hanged next day at the Vienna arsenal.

The judge presiding at the trial was obliged to attend to the sentence carried out. The execution proved such a harrowing spectacle that he entirely collapsed and lost his reason. He has since been removed to an asylum for the insane at St. Michael, near Vienna.—Reuter.

The Hamburger Fremdenblatt may not be a journal of the highest calibre, but it is certainly typical of the German Press. The latest issue to hand contains the statement: "There are no such things as the principles of humanity. Poison gas is but one instrument of warfare among many others; the outcry against it is due to the fact that it has not yet been universally adopted. In war there is no such thing as humanity, nor should there be, and all the instructions of The Hague Conference on this subject but are so much childish prattle." As a pendant we may quote the action of the Reichstag during this gas poisoning is "an extraordinarily mild method of war." Such frank admissions deserve to be set on record.

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Mr. Lloyd George has gladly and eagerly accepted the offer of the help of women in making munitions and other forms of war work which was made to him on Saturday (June 17) by Mrs. Pankhurst and other ladies notable in public life.

That there was reality and substance in the offer was proved by the long procession of women, mainly of the working classes, who marched through West London with banners and bands before the deputation waited upon Mr. Lloyd George. It was an impressive demonstration, and but for the inclemency of the weather it would have been a very beautiful one also. The pageant was, happily, not altogether spoiled, and the lowering skies and the cold, driving rain only brought out into clearer relief the spirit of service which animated the assembly.

Mr. Lloyd George's encouraging words, Mr. Lloyd George, with Mr. Churchill, saw the procession go by on the Embankment from a platform erected in the grounds of the Department of Munitions. He was deeply moved by it, as he afterwards told the deputation in his room at the Department. He mentioned two prejudices which were affecting the employment of women in the workshops.

The conservation of manufacturers who have always been accustomed to seeing men doing this work and could not be persuaded that women could do it as well if not better.

The apprehensions of working men that if women were successful in this class of labour they would be retained after the war and men would feel their competition in looking for jobs.

Dealing with the latter point Mr. Lloyd George said the work was war work, and therefore would come to an end when the war was over. Then he stated the measures which the Government propose to take in order to enlarge the field of female labour in the making of munitions. They are these:—

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The special training of a number of women for the direction and instruction of female labour in the workshops.

The Government, he added, would not avail themselves of the services of women merely to get cheap labour. Women would be paid for piece work the same as men; and for time work a minimum rate of wages would be fixed.

THE PAGEANT OF THE ALLIES.

The most notable feature of the procession was the pageant of the Allies. It was headed by a girl wearing a Grecian robe of white fringed with gold, and carrying a trophy composed of the flags of the nations at war with Germany.

Behind her came native representatives of the Allied countries. The place of honour was given to Belgium. The soul of that martyred, but unconquerable, land was vividly typified by a tall, slender lady dressed in mourning, with a purple veil bound round her head and bowing in a long streamer behind. She carried aloft the flag of her country, torn and tattered, but still beautiful in its colours of black, yellow, and red. She walked barefoot through the slush of the roadways, and on her delicate face there was a moving expression of pride and sorrow.

Then came a striking contrast in France, represented by a pleasant-looking young girl who walked with a swagger in her kilted frock and her red cap of liberty, and charmed the crowd with her merry smiles. The other Allies followed—Russia, Japan, Italy, Serbia, and Montenegro—a most picturesque group in their varied peasant costumes. A girl in white, carrying an armful of roses, typified England, and in attendance upon her were three women, one wearing the kilt and tartan of Scotland, another the high conical hat of Wales, and the other the red velvet cloak and green dress of Ireland.

For the rest, the parade consisted of tens of thousands of women carrying streamers, which worked out a brilliant coloured scheme of many sections in red, white, and blue; interspersed with numbers of large banners bearing inscriptions. Among the inscriptions were:—

Women are prepared to pay any price to defeat the enemy.

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After receiving the deputation, Mr. Lloyd George appeared on the specially-constructed platform overlooking the Embankment and made a brief speech to a gathering numbering several thousand. In the course of his speech he said:—

Our country is in peril and we will want to help it, and I believe that men and women alike are prepared to do their best to help the old country through to victory. (Cheers.) In France hundreds of thousands of women are working in the factories and workshops in order to equip the soldiers at the front with abundant material to enable them to face the enemy on equal terms. We propose in this country to utilize the services of everybody who is prepared to assist us, and then victory will come to our lot.

I am not afraid of the people. (Cheers.) There are dark clouds rolling up in the East, but I look at them with confidence. The indomitable spirit of Russia will ride this storm as it has faced many another hurricane that swept over its devoted plains. They will scatter, they will be dispersed, and Russia will emerge once more formidable, ready, and help the great democratic countries of the West to achieve the great victory for freedom in Europe. (Cheers.)

At this point a woman broke in with the remark, "What about the vote?" "We will get her into the shell factory first," replied Mr. Lloyd George, amid laughter. He resumed:—

Here we are, pausing 12 months behind to catch a foe who has been preparing for years. (A voice: "Stick it, old boy!") But we shall do so. I have no hesitation at all in feeling confident that the great nation which overthrew many a despotism in Europe before with its own right hand will do so yet. (Cheers.)

The National Anthem having been played by the band, cheers were given for Mr. Lloyd George, and Mrs. Pankhurst briefly addressed the crowd.

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7. Lee Hon Kam, distinction in

drawing.

8. Wong Wai Hon, distinction in

arithmetic.

9. B. C. Randall, distinction in

mathematics and geography.

10. Kwong Hing Fuk, distinction in

trigonometry.

11. William Thomas.

12. Au Wai Kwok.

13. Boris Posen.

14. Tsui Kwong Kwong, distinction in

Biblical knowledge.

15. Shik Ki Shoung.

16. Percy Edwards.

17. G. E. Rowan.

18. Chiu Yan Kwong.

19. Tang Ning Kang.

20. E. Manning.

21. H. Hong Fook Tsao.

22. W. H. Peters.

The following have qualified for matriculation:—

1. Lee Man Kwong.

2. Chan Li Nin.

3. Wong Wai Hon.

4. B. C. Randall, with honours.

5. E. Manning.

GIRL CANDIDATES.

1. L. E. Chenallo, distinction in

needlework.

2. F. L. Chenallo, honours, distinction in geography.

3. M. I. Xavier.

4. Un Pak Sun, honours.

5. Minnie Choa, honours, distinction in drawing.

FRENCH LESSONS

G. MOUSSON.

15, Morrison Hill Road.

THE NEW FRENCH REMEDY.

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THE CHANNEL TUNNEL.

ITS USE IN WAR.

FRED AND CO.

One of the old discussions which has again been brought to the front by the present war is the familiar discussion on the advisability of what is called the Channel Tunnel. Of course, there are still two sides to the question, but the pro-Tunnelites appear, for a change, to be in high favour, and there is every reason to suspect that after the cessation of hostilities the much-talked-of submarine tube will become an accomplished fact. For it is realised that it had been an accomplished fact last August its value to the Allies in the west would have been almost incalculable. It is generally recognised that Germany's land successes have been almost entirely due to her highly-organised railway system. We, on the other hand, have been badly hampered by our "splendid isolation," the English Channel having proved a serious obstacle in the way of rapid transport.

The machinery which it necessitates is extraordinarily complicated and enormous. Imagine that troops or munitions are being "pushed" to the

EXTRA TO THE CHINA MAIL.

HONGKONG, MONDAY, AUGUST 30, 1915.

ALLEGED EMBEZZLEMENT.

Leung Tik Kwong, alias Leung Tsz Ching, was charged before Mr. Lindsell at the Police Court this afternoon with embezzling \$1560 received by him on behalf of the Wing Cheong Sing firm.

Mr. F. C. Jenkin appeared for the complainant and Mr. Eldon Potter instructed by Mr. W.E.L. Shenton, for the defendant.

Mr. Jenkin said that about Dec. 31, 1912, when the defendant was a member of the firm, there was forwarded through the On Yee Bank a sum of \$1500 from a party in Canton. The money was in fact handed to the firm and the bank book was marked with the "money received" chop. The defendant received this money but failed to account for it. There was at present pending an action in the Supreme Court, in which present defendant was the plaintiff, bringing an action against two or three other people, some of whom he (Mr. Jenkin) recognised as being his witnesses in the present case. In an affidavit filed by the present defendant in that civil case he said that the money was received by a man named Tam Tat Chiu. He did not know anything about it. The prosecution would call evidence later to prove that the man Tam Tat Chiu was not only not the accountant but had nothing to do with the firm. There would also be evidence to show that defendant was actually the man who kept the books and received the money. In fact the entries in the books were entirely in his handwriting. The case was adjourned.

HONGKONG VOLUNTEER CORPS.

Corps Orders by Lieut.-Col. A. Chapman, V.D.

LEAVE.

Pte. D. A. Purves is granted leave of absence from 5.9.15 to 5.10.15.

DRESS.

A limited number of Army pattern boots and Army socks is available for purchase. Cost, boots about \$8.00 per pair and socks about 50 cents per pair. Members requiring either of these articles must apply to the Orderly Room in writing, stating size, as soon as possible. As the number of boots and socks available is limited, early application is essential. Applications will be dealt with in the order in which they are received.

PARADES.

Parades for Tuesday, 31st instant,— 5.15 p.m. Recruits of all units (except Right Sec. M.G. Co. and Signalling Section) who have never fired a Musketry Course—Musketry instruction on Kennedy Road Range. Service rifles to be carried. Corpl. Grimes, R.E., will attend.

5.30 p.m. Recruits of Engineer Co. (except Quarry Bay Section)—Squad drill and rifle exercises on Cricket Ground under Sergt.-Major Higby.

All recruits (including latest joined) of Right Sec. M.G. Co. who have not been

passed out—Squad drill and skirmishing on Cricket Ground.

Stretcher Bearer Section—Instruction at Headquarters.

Remainder—Lecture at Headquarters by the Inspecting Officer, Capt. A. Riddell, 74th Punjabis.

DETAIL.

Gun Club Hill, Kowloon:—

On duty until to-morrow morning: H.K.V.R.

On duty from to-morrow until morning of 7th Sept.: No. 1 Sec. Artillery Battery and Left Sec. M.G. Co. Officer on duty: Capt. Armstrong.

Detention Camp, Kowloon:—

On duty until to-morrow morning: H.K.V.R.

On duty to-morrow night: Scouts Company. Officer on duty: Capt. Hutchison.

On duty 1st Sept.: Scouts Company. Officer on duty: Lieut. Murphy.

Orderly Officer 31st inst. to 7th Sept.: Lieut. Kennett.

Orderly Sergeant 31st inst. to 7th Sept.: Sergt. Bullock.

HONGKONG VOLUNTEER RESERVES.

Major Wakeman Commanding H.K.V.R.

PRISONERS OF WAR CAMP AND GUARD HILL PICQUET.

The H.K.V.O. will relieve the H.K.V.R. on Tuesday the 31st inst.

NEXT FOR DUTY.

Prisoners of War Camp:—

Tuesday 7th Sept. Secs. 1 and 2 of A Co. Wednesday 8th Sept. Secs. 1 and 2 of B Co.

Thursday 9th Sept. Sec. 1 of C Co.

Friday 10th Sept. Secs. 3 and 4 of A Co.

Saturday 11th Sept. Secs. 3 and 4 of B Co.

Sunday 12th Sept. Secs. 2, 3 and 4 of C Co.

Gun Club Hill:—

Tuesday 7th Sept. Secs. 3 and 4 of A Co.

Wednesday 8th Sept. Secs. 3 and 4 of B Co.

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Friday 10th Sept. Sec. 1 and 2 of A Co.

Saturday 11th Sept. Sec. 1 and 2 of B Co.

Sunday 12th Sept. Sec. 1 of C Co.

PARADES.

A, B and C Companies will parade on

Friday, 3rd September at 5.15 p.m. on the

Cricket Ground. Dress Drill Order Shirt

Sleeve. Recruits not passed out will

parade on the Cricket Ground at 5.15 p.m.

on Tuesday, the 31st August, Wednesday

and Thursday the 1st and 2nd September.

CLASS OF INSTRUCTION.

There will be no class of instruction on

Tuesday the August.

A Government Gazette Extraordinary

of this evening notifies that cotton, cotton

linters, cotton waste and cotton yards

have been added to the list of absolute

contraband.

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